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ANNEXATION TERMS NOT QUITE CLEAR

Reports From Richmond Say That Case Has Been Remanded for Trial

UNCERTAINTY EXISTS.

Attorneys State Law Requires Supreme Court to Enter Final Order Defining Annexed Territory.

A "Greater Alexandria" is assured by a decision of the Supreme Court of Appeals of Virginia, handed down yesterday in the annexation suit, but advices which reached here today amke it uncertain as to just what amount of territory will be granted the city. Instead of handing down a final order as provided in section 6 of statute 1014 A. of the laws of the state, definitely fixing the new bounderies of the city, the court it is said, ordered that the case be remanded to be further proceeded with in accordance with the views expressed by Judge Cardwell, who wrote the opinion of the court. In the opinion Judge Cardwell said that he could not say that the evidence was sufficient to require Judge Gordon, from whose decision the appeal was taken, to order and direct the annexation of all the territory asked for but he was of the opinion that it was both necessary and expedient that some territory be annexed to the city to meet its present needs as well as those which may be expected to arise in the reasonably near future.

Alexandria attorneys are uncertain as to the next steps that will be taken. They contend that the supreme court is clearly in error if they have remanded the case for further trial, and as soon a s the complete text of the opinion reaches herd a decision will be reached as to the further proceedure. It is thought that the attention of the court will be called to the law and they will be asked to enter an order definitely disposing of the case.

The area of the land in dispute is approximately 1,316 acres, or about two square miles, almost twice the present area of the city. 866 acres lies in Alexandria county and 450 in Fairfax County. Its assessed value is approximately $1,500,000. In the territory is the Union Station, the surburbs of Rosemont, Braddock Heights, Cottage Park and West End, a portion of the Potomac Railway yards and much other valuable property.

The suit has been pending before the courts for more than three years and previous to that time there was a long agitation in the city council of Alexandria before the ordinance providing for annexation was passed. The first proceedings was before the circuit court of Alexandria. Judge Bennett T. Gordon of the 29th Judicial Circuit was designated by Governor Mann to conduct the proceedings. He refused to grant the order of annexation, and assessed the costs of the hearing against the city. An appeal was taken to the Supreme Court two years ago, and the decision was just handed down yesterday.

In the proceedings the city council of Alexandria was represented by Samuel P. Fisher, corporation attorney; Samuel G. Brent, commonwealth attorney and John M. Johnson. Alexandria county was represented by Crandall Mackey, commonwealth attorney, former Governor Andrew Jackson Montague and Robert L. Montague. Fairfax county had as its attorneys C. Vernon Ford commonwealth attorney and Moore, Barbour, Keith and McCandlish.

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NEWS OF THE DAY

The trawler Ymuden, putting in at Rotterdam yesterday, reports that dummy periscopes have been planted in the North Sea. The action is believed to be part of a German plan to deceive and terrorize British transports and traders.

Mrs. C. C. McKnight, wife of a Bella Vista, Cal., rancher, is the proud mother of four babies, two boys and two girls, born within two hours time. Each was perfectly formed and normal in every way. Mrs. McKnight is 40 years old, and now the mother of thirteen living children.

Mrs. Irene Hosie, aged 24, is in the hospital at Harrisburg, Pa., with a flesh wound in the cheek and Samuel Keyes, a chauffeur, is dead, as the result of shots fired by Keyes when he met Mrs. Hosie on the street Wednesday. The woman cannot talk, and there is no explanation of the attempted murder and suicide.

The Kaiser has deposed Gens. von Glasenapp, von Grabow, and von Dohn. He holds them responsible for the recent rout of the German forces along the Neimen. German papers have not been allowed to publish any details of the defeat. One paper which gave a slight indication of the event was suspended for a fortnight.

The bodies of William Bradley, shot through the head, his 5-year-old son, William, Jr., shot through the heart and that of Mrs. Bradley with a bullet wound in the head, were found by neighbors who entered the Bradley home at Newark, N. J., yesterday. The police believe that Mrs. Bradley shot her husband and son during a quarrel and then killed herself.

That German diplomacy has been successful in preventing Italy from joining the war on the side of the allies is the strong belief in certain circles in Rome. A great deal of apprehension is felt over the result of the final negotiations, for it is certain that, no matter which way the government decides, a considerable section of the population will be dissatisfied. According to report, Germany having failed to persuade the Austrian government to make territorial concessions to Italy, has agreed to remain neutral, in the event of war between Italy and Austria.

Advices from Constantinople say that Mehemmed Burhan-Eddin Effendi, favorite son of the former Sultan Abdul Hamid, has been found strangled in his bedroom. Prince Burhan-Eddin was 29 years old, and the fourth son of Abdul Hamid.

A cablegram from Ambassador Morgenthau, at Constantinople, dated Wednesday, and received at the State Department late yesterday, stated that the British adimral commanding the allied fleet in front of Smyrna gave the Turkish garrison 24 hours to surrender, under threat of bombardment.

A dispatch to the London Daily Express from The Hague says: "A secret report has been sent from Cuxhaven to the admiralty at Berlin that twelve submarines have failed to report at their base, eight of them being among Germany's newest boats. The naval council will meet today or tomorrow under the presidency of Emperor William to discuss whether or not it would be better to abandon the submarine war."

WHITE GIRL AND NEGRO SHOT.

Police Think She Fired to Protect Herself And Was Killed.

Montgomery, Ala., March 12.—Police officials here were mystified Wednesday by what appeared to be a double murder, with the victims a 15-year-old white girl and a negro man.

The girl, Marguerita Owens, and the negro, Norman Lee, were killed in the home of Clyde Turner, with whom the girl lived. A double barreled shotgun lay between the bodies.

Children playing in the yard heard the shots and summoned neighbors.

One police theory is that the girl, protecting herself from attack, shot and fatallly wounded the negro, who wrested the gun from the girl's hands and killed her.

ALLIES' WARSHIPS OFF THE CAPES

Awaiting Opportunity to Destroy German Converted Cruiser

NO CHANCE TO ESCAPE

Preliminary Reports of Sinking of Bark Frye Placed in Hands of President Wilson.

Washington, March 12—English and French warships, notified by wireless as soon as the German raider, Prinz Eitel Friederich, dropped anchor in Hampton Roads, already are gathered outside the capes awaiting opportunity to smash the German armored liner.

If the German commander persists in his intentions to make repairs and proceed, the chances are he will hardly more than poke the nose of his ship across the three-mile line before the watching warships open fire.

That England expects the Eitel to be destroyed if she leaves Newport News is indicated by the intimation conveyed to the United States by the British ambassador that all but German subjects should be taken off the steamer before she is permitted to put to sea.

Ambassador Spring Rice informally told Secretary Bryan and Counselor Lansing that there was not the slightest chance of the Eitel getting five miles out to sea before she is sunk, and he declared that this Government would be acting only a humane part in taking over all who desire to leave the commerce destroyer.

Latest reports received here indicate that there are three British and one French cruiser close at hand waiting.

Because of this fact officials are inclined to believe that the Eitel will be interned. Captain Boy-Ed, the German naval attache, is at Newport News, and he will have the final say as to whether the cruiser will go out to almost certain destruction or remain in port to be an asset to Germany when the war is over.

Preliminary reports placed in the hands of President Wilson covering the sinking of the American sailing ship William P. Frye by the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich declare the act was entirely without justification.

It is considered certain that the complete report will make the same claim. Until he has it in his hands the President will take no action.

Meanwhile officials here believe that Germany of her own volition will open the matter. They expect the German foreign office to take the matter up either with Ambassador Gerard, at Berlin, or through Ambassador Bernstoff in this country.

But the mere assumption of responsibility and the payment of monetary damages may not prove satisfactory to this Government.

McADOO TO GO UNDER KNIFE.

Secretary of Treasury Suddenly Stricken With Appendicitis.

Washington, March 12.—Secretary of the Treasury William G. McAdoo was taken suddenly ill with appendicitis Wednesday night and yesterday was removed to Providence Hospital for an operation, which will be performed today by Dr. Cary T. Grayson, President Wilson's personal physician, and Dr. A. M. Fauntleroy. On account of Mr. McAdoo's splendid physical condition, no alarm is felt as to the outcome of the operation.

The announcement of Mr. McAdoo's illness caused surprise in Washington. He has been at his desk every day for a month. Wednesday evening he complained of feeling bad, and when physicians were consulted symptoms of appendicitis were discovered.

Mrs. McAdoo, daughter of President Wilson, accompanied her husband to the hospital and will remain at his bedside until the operation is performed and the Secretary is out of danger.

PRINZ EITEL'S WORK.

Eleven Ships Sunk on Voyage From China to Newport News.

Newport News, Va., March 12.—Captain Thierichens of the Royal Geramn navy, commander of the Prinz Eitel Frederich, is about forty years old and as keen-witted as he is clever. He told in terse English, broken a bit, but graphic, the story of the cruise of the sea rover he commands. From the day the Prinz Eitel steamed out of Tsing Tau, China, through the long voyage across the Pacific and around the horn, up the South Atlantic coast and into Hampton Roads, willingly, and at times smilingly, he described the raids made by his ship against the sea-borne commerce of his country's enemies.

"Seven omnths ago the Prinz Eitel Frederick left Tsing Tau,'" he said, "Our crew was composed of men and officers from the gunboats Tiger and Luchs, and the guns we mounted came from those two boats, which were demantled.

"We passed out through the Japanese islands and eluded a number of English, French and Japanese warships. The Prinz Eitel Frederich had been converted into an armed merchantman on such short notice that we had no time to put on our war paint. Our first capture was the Schargost, an English steamer of 6,000 tons. We were anxious to get coal and were greatly disappointed when we found the Schargost carried very little. Next we encountered the French sailing ship Jean, coal laden. This ship we towed 1,500 miles to Easter Island, transferred her coal to our own bunkers and landed there survivors from the Jean, the Schargost and the English steamer Keldaton, overtaken and destroyed en route to Easter Island. After landing survivors the Jean was blown up.

"Then we proceeded down the Chilean coast to Cape Horn and up the Atlantic."

Captain Thierichens said while coming up the South Atlantic, his wireless operator heard eight warships exchanging wireless messages. He believed these to be Admiral Sturdee's squadron, which sank the Germans off the Falkland Island. The Russian bark Isabelle Brown was the next victim of the Prinz Eitel. The Brown was burned.

Next came the French ship Pierre Loti, which was sunk.

Then the American bark William P. Frye was sunk and the French bark Jacobsen encountered soon after met the same fate.

"We tried to catch some other vessels," said Captain Thierichens, "but encountered only neutrals and so steamed north. On February 8 we met the Norweigan bark Thalasia and let her go unharmed. The British bark Indracoe was sunk, and on February 18 the steamer Mary Ada Short, laden with maize, was sunk. The next day we met and sank the French steamer Floride, after taking off passengers, crew and provisions. The Floride we left burning and about to go down off the Brazilian coast.

"On the 20th of February we sank the British steamer Willerby, and the same night we heard English warships sending wireless messages. One of them we thought was the Brunswick. So we put to sea to leave the neighborhood. We have put in here to land 350 prisoners, 40 women and children, and to effect urgent repairs.

"I believe we were followed by six British men of war when we were nearing the Virginia capes. At night we ran with every light out."

According to Captain Thierichens, his ship was near the battle off the Chilean coast when the British squadron was defeated by the Germans, and heard messages exchanged between the ships participating in, that engagement. The Prinz Eitel traveled for a while in the company of her famous fellow sea rover, the Emden, and when she left the Emden that ship was accompanied by the Cormorant.

Captain Thieritcher had no news of the Kron Prinz Willhelm.

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CHARGES AGAINST JUDGE CHICHESTER

Delegate Powell Files Allegations With House of Delegates

LAYS BLAME ON RING

Alleges That Judge Followed Its Advice in Making Certain Appointments of Officers.

Richmond, March 12—Alleged corrupt political conditions in Spotsylvania County, in particular, and throughout the Fifteenth Judical Circuit, in which Judge R. H. L. Chichester presides, in general, will be publicly aired before the courts of Justice Committee of the House of Delegates today in the courtroom of the State Corporation Commission, Capitol Building.

The charges brought by Delegate S. P. Powell, of Spotsylvania, against Judge Chichester are to be reviewed by the committee, and the statement of Mr. Powell in reply to the House resolution requesting him to present evidence to sustain the charges will be considered.

Judge Chichester has invited a full investigation of his conduct as a member of the State judiciary. Delegate Powell has declared that the evidence is procurable only in the district where the alleged offenses were committed. The Courts of Justice Committee's action today will determine whether the House will order the investigation it being accepted as a foregone conclusion that the recommendations of the committee will be accepted by the House of Delegates.

Yeserday's developments in the scandal growing out of the Powell charges consisted mainly of the written statement of Mr. Powell, which was presented to the House at the afternoon session.

U. S. STEAMER HELD UP.

The Vigilancia, With Cotton For Bremen, Taken Into a British Port.

New York, March 12.—The American steamer Vigilancia, which sailed from Savannah February 22 with a cargo of cotton for Bremen, has been intercepted at sea by a British cruiser and taken into Kirkwall, according to cable advices.

The Vigilancia was sold recently by the Ward Line to Walker, Armstrong & Co., of Savannah. This was her first trans-Atlantic trip since the sale.

Savannah, Ga., March 11.—Officials of the Walker, Armstrong Company, owners of the Vigilancia, stated yesterday they had received no word about the steamer other than that she was at Kirkwall. It was stated the Vigilancia had been instructed to take the route to the north of Scotland to avoid the mine fields. Before the Vigilancia sailed the Stars and Stripes were painted on her sides and a large American flag strung between the foremast and mainmast.

London, March 11.—The Foreign Office was advised yesterday that the American bark Pass of Balmaha, from New York for Bremen with a cargo of cotton, had been detained at Kirkwall for inspection. The Pass of Balmaha was allowed to proceed on her voyage after the inspection had been completed.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

Lynchburg, Va., March 12.—Campbell Dudley, aged 50 years, a laborer, who lived in Campbell county in the rear of Spring Hill cemetery, committed suicide late Tuesday afternoon by shooting himself in the head with a revolver. The bullet entered the right temple, passed entirely through the head and came through the left temple.

Being out of work and despondent because of ill health are thought to have been the causes of the suicide.

Mr. Dudley is survived by his wife and several children.

LOCAL BREVITIES

In the Circuit Court today a suit for divorce was filed by William Young against Amy Victoriene Young on the ground of desertion. The plaintiff is represented by Attorney R. B. Washington.

The annual meeting of officers of Washington Memorial Lodge of Perfection, No. 7, Scottish Rite Masons, will take place tonight.

Eggs and butter lower. See Howard's advertisement.

COURT OF APPEALS

Wide Range is Covered in Disposing of Many Important Cases

Richmond, March 12—In handing down opinions in the Supreme Court of Appeals yesterday the court covered a wide range of subjects.

Below are some of the more important cases decided yesterday.

In the case of the Security Life Insurance Company against Dillard, from the Circuit Court of Lynchburg, the court in an opinion of Judge Kelly, holds that recovery cannot be made on a policy in which the insured took his life. Dillard, a traveling man, shot and killed himself in Greensboro on the last day in which his policy was in force without the payment of another premium. The company refused to pay, suit was brought and a verdict returned for the widow. The company appealed and the decision yesterday followed.

In the case of Pilcher vs. Pilcher from the Chancery Court of Richmond, in an opinion handed down by Judge Whittle, the decision of the trial court is affirmed. E. M. Pilcher a lawyer wrote a will as follows: "I give to my wife, Alice McCabe Pilcher, all of my property, real and personal E. M. P." Later he wrote another, in which he said virtually the same thing, but did not sign it. The first will was lost for sometime. Dr. J. M. Pilcher, of Petersburg, claimed share in the estate. This was denied in the court below and the entire estate goes to his wife.

In the case of Hawkins & Buford vs. Edwards, from Circuit Court of Henrico, the case is reversed. Edwards claimed that he was deceived in the purchase of certain real estate in the city of Richmond, and on a claim for fraud secured a verdict for $1,152 and from this appeal was taken. Judge Harrison, in the opinion of the court, says the evidence shows that Edwards made an inspection of the property for himself, and that when such was shown it should have ceased to be the foundation for the suit. "For the errors to the prejudice of the defendant, the judgement complained of must be reversed," says Judge Harrison.

In the case of the Virginia Railway and Power Company vs. Meyer from Hustings Court, Part 2, South Richmond, the court in an opinion by Judge Harrison, affirms the case, giving damages to Meyer. More than eighteen months ago Meyer and members of his family were riding in an automobile in Broad St. In crossing at Third and Broad the machine was struck by a street car and demolished. Suit for damages was brought, the verdict being for $500. The company appealed and the decision in this case and also in the case brought by Meyer, who was given damages for personal injuries in the sum of $2,500.

In the case of the Chesapeake and Ohio Raiway vs. Newton, from South Richmond Hustings Court, the decree of the lower court is affirmed. Newton was a painter, employed in painting the steel viaduct. In moving the scaffolds the foreman gave orders to men and the swinging of the platforms struck Newton in the back, knocking him from the platform on which he was at work, causing his death. The jury gave the widow $10,000, and from this the company appealed, the verdict being affirmed in an opinion by Judge Harrison, who holds that the verdict of the jury was amply supported by the evidence.

In the case of the Washington and Old Dominion Railway vs. Carter the Circuit Court of Fairfax county was reversed.

Clams and Crabs at the Hotel Rammel.

IMPOSE NEW TAX UPON RAILROADS

Both Houses of General Assembly Levy on Their Gross Receipts

CAUSES A SURPRISE.

House of Delegates Holds an All-Night Session and Finally Disposes of All Measures.

(Special Dispatch to the Gazette.)

Richmond, March 12.—The merchants' license tax bill, which passed the House last night, was taken up in the Senate today and agreed to as it came from the House. It now goes to the Governor.

The bill providing for paying the transportation of indigent confederate veterans to their reunion in Richmond in June was favorably reported in the House today.

Richmond, Va., March 12—The House yesterday passed an amendment to Public Service Corporation Tax bill, placing a State tax of 1-4 per cent on the gross receipts from transportation and freight on the railroads. If the Senate passes the bill with the amendment it will add to the State's revenues from railroad taxation $160,000 a year.

The adoption of the amendment came as one of the surprises of the session. O. L. Stearnes, of Roanoke has fought persistently to increase the tax on railroads. He had previously urged a 2 per cent tax and when he began speaking at the afternoon session few members were aware that he had a substitute in mind. With a bare majority in the House the amendment was adopted.

Railroad lawyers who had received a tip on what was coming vanished from the corridors of the Capitol and the action of the House was hastily telephoned to officials of all the railroads affected.

The night session of the House was signalized by a spirited debate on the bill making an appropriation for fighting foot-and-mouth disease in cattle, and an ineffectual attempt to pass a bill allowing the members $50 each for their services to the State since the special session was resumed last Monday.

The latter measure failed of passage because eighteen of the members were unwilling to accept pay, in view of the exigency that brought them back to Richmond to complete the tax reform work. The compensation measure was introduced by Judge Roger T. Gregory, of New Kent. As originally drawn, compensation was fixed at $100, but when it reached the House last night the amount had been cut to $50.

The foot-and-mouth disease fighting fund appropriated is the full amount suggested by the Governor in his special message, $106,500. As the bill came to the House, the appropriation it carried was $60,000, the amount having been curtailed by the committee. An animated debate, which extended through more than an hour and a half, preceded the passage of the bill.

Death of Mrs. John D. Rockefeller

New York, March 12.—Mrs. John D. Rockefeller died at 10:20 o'clock this forenoon at the Rockefeller country home at Pocantico Hills, just outside of Tarrytown, where she has been ill for some time.

BRANCH BANK AT DUPONT

Petersburg, Va., 12—The American National Bank of Richmond is going to open a branch bank at City Point to accommodate the Dupont company laborers.

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Interesting News Notes About People of Alexandria—Happenings in Society.

Joseph C. O'Laughlin, of Philadelphia, National President of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, was the guest of honor at a St. Pateick's Day celebration of Alexandria Division No. 1, held in St. Mary's Hall last night. R. E. Power, chairman of the entertainment committee, presided. President O'Laughlin, was introduced by William Desmond, president of the local division. There was a literary and musical entertainment. The first prize for an essay on "Patriotis, Achievement and Character of the Irish Women" was won by Miss C. Donaldson. The second prize was won by Miss Eleanor Nugent.

The Junior German Club gave its semi-monthly dance at the Elks' Hall this afternoon.

Mr. William De Silva, employe of the Surprise Theatre, who has been indisposed for the last few days, is able to be out again.

MUSICAL RECITAL

The semi-annual recital of scholarship of Miss Mary J. Devitt's class took place last evening, an interesting program being rendered by the following pupils:

Piano Duett — Overture — Stradilla Miss M. Devitt Thomas Jones

Essay On Music, Miss Hattie Meades.

Vocal Solo—In the Heart of a Rose—Miss Janie Sanders.

Piano Solo—Les Deux De Anges —Blumenth— Miss Hattie Meades.

Piano Duett —Reverie—Drumheller—Miss L. Grimes M. Devitt.

Piano Solo—Hungarian March — Kowalski— Miss Janie Sanders.

Recitation— America's Birthday— Miss Dorothy Dean.

Piano Solo—Twilight Reverie— Guy— Miss Lillian Grimes.

Piano Duett—Fresh Life—Sudds— Misses H. Meades, J. Sanders.

Piano Solo — Con Amour— Miss Kathern Campbell.

Vocal Solo — Isle D. Amour — Edwards —Miss Marian Deinelt.

Piano Solo — Silver Nymph — Heinse — Miss Laris White.

Piano Solo — Narcissa — Fisher— Miss Cecelia Cox.

Piano Duett — March Militare — Clark — Misses K. Campbell, M. Devitt.

Piano Solo — Flower Song — Lange — Miss Dorothy Dean.

Recitation — Some Musical Don't — Miss Marian Dienelt.

Piano Duett — Galop De Concert— Smith — Miss C. Cox, Master C Dreyfus.

Piano Solo — Ours — Cadmus — Miss Marian Dienelt.

Vocal Solo — Sweet and Low — Rosey —Miss Mildred Moss.

Piano Duett — Styrienne — Ben —Misses M. Sanders, M. Dienelt.

Piano Solo — Melody in F — Rubenstein — Miss Mary Martin.

Piano Duett — By Moonlight — Smith.—Miss G. Nevitt M. Davis.

Piano Solo — Valse De Concert — Martin — Master L. Herbert.

Piano Duett — Students Pride — Martence — Misses M. Martin, M. Moss.

Closing Duett—Mardi Gras— Schubert — Miss M. Devitt, H. Meades.

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STEAL "GOLDEN KEY"

Alexandria Elks Bring Back Valuable Trophy From Harrisonburg Lodge.

The Harrisonburg Daily News Record of yesterday says:

The "golden key," the most highly treasured possession of Harrisonburg Lodge of Elks, which has made every other lodge of the order in Virginia envious of the local organization, was stolen from the Elks Home on East Market street yesterday afternoon. Later in the day the key was expressed to Washington, D. C., in which city it will be turned over to representatives of Alexandria Lodge of Elks.

"The loss of the key was not known until early this (Thursday) morning after it was well on the way to Washington. An investigation by newspaper reporters developed the fact that Robert S. Barrett, former district deputy grand exalted ruler, and James W. Bales, vice president of the State Elks Association; both past exalted rulers of Alexandria Lodge, had invaded the sacred precincts of the Elks Home yesterday afternoon, while no one was present except the colored janitor, and secured possession of the precious article.

"By diverting the attention of the janitor, they apparently experienced little difficulty in removing the key from its resting place in the hallway on the second floor and the Alexandrians succeeded in getting it out of the building without detection. They lost no time in getting it into the express office and starting it on its way to Washington by the first train. They addressed the package to Washington in order to throw the local Elks off the track in case the theft was discovered.

"There is an interesting history attached to the "golden key" and every Elks Lodge in Virginia has at one time or another made determined efforts to secure possession of it during the last two years it has been in the possession of Harrisonburg Lodge. The key was made for Norfolk Lodge six or eight years ago and was in the Home in that city only a short time before Elks from Richmond captured it and took it to the State capital. By surreptitious means an Elk from Petersburg took the key to that city. Two years ago Past Exalted Ruler V. R. Slater and A. M. Loewner were visitors at a banquet in the Petersburg Elks Home. While Slater was making an after-dinner speech, Loewner secured a step-ladder and removed the key from the wall of an adjoining room.

"Petersburg Lodge has on several occasions sent a member to Harrisonburg, charged with the duty of recovering the key, but it was so closely guarded that his efforts were futile.

"Alexandria Lodge has long had a desire to become the possessor of the key and Barrett and Bales, who came to Harrisonburg yesterday with the Scottish Rite Masons in the circle of which they are both prominent, had instructions to steal the key at all cost. So certain were the two visitors of the success of their plan, that they already have picked out a place for the souvenir. In a recess at the top of the Elks Home in Alexandria, there is the figure of an elk in bronze. The hook and ladder company of the Alexandria Fire Department will be called upon to place the golden key on the antlers of the elk and there it will rest in security, so the Alexandria Elks believe.

"Information as to the theft did not leak out until too late for the local Elks to take steps to recover possession of the key before it left Harrisonburg. Doubtless efforts will be made to get it back.

"Great consternation will be created among the Elks of Harrisonburg when they learn of their loss. Past Ruler Slater, who was partly responsible for securing possession of the key, will be particularly chagrined and the Alexandrians are taking a great delight in having "put one over" on Slater, as well as Chief of Police Dovel, who is also an officer of Harrisonburg Lodge.

"The key is about two and one-half feet long and was suspended from the ceiling of the hallway of the Elks Home by purple and white ribbons."

Messrs. Barrett and Bales, who were members of the party of Scottish Rite Masons, which visited Harrisonburg, returned here yesterday with the key in their possession. The story in reference to expressing the key was given out to throw the Harrisonburg Elks off the scent. After the key had been taken from the Elks Home it was hidden in the Masonic Temple. George W. Zachary, tiler of the Masonic Lodges here, was taken into the secret and packed the key in the trunks containing the costumes and paraphanalia of the Masons.

The key will be presented to Alexandria Lodge at the social session to be given on next Monday night.

DR HARRYMAN'S RECITAL

Interesting Rendition Will be Given at St. Paul's Church Monday Night.

An organ recital will be given in St. Paul's Church Monday evening, March the 15th, at eight o'clock by Dr. H. G. Harryman, of the Virginia Theological Seminary, under the auspices of the Junior Auxiliary of St. Paul's Parish.

A silver offering will be taken for missions.

Dr. Harryman was formerly of Baltimore, and he has been organist at several of the large churches in that city. He was organist and director of Madison Avenue, M. E. Church for a number of years, Church of Our Saviour, and Church of the Holy Rosary. For the past six years he has been connected with the Theological Seminary near this city.

ANOTHER NEMESIS

Attempt Will Be Made to Show Mayo Violated White Slave Act.

New Haven, March 12—Miss Susie M. Walters, formerly a stenographer employed by Virginius J. Mayo here yesterday came forward charging that Mayo is the father of her child. She is the mother of a two year old baby.

In a statement said to have been made by Miss Walters she says she went to work for Mayo in 1909, and that he was extremely kind to her.

In September of 1912 she is credited as saying, she left Mayo's employment but told him of her troubles. She said he laughed and tried to evade responsibility for her plight.

Scranton, Pa., March 12—Mrs. Florence Weeks Mayo, of this city, who claims to be the wife of Virginius J. Mayo, New Haven Conn. manufacturer, whose martial affairs were revealed through the suicide of his stenographer, said yesterday her attorney would take every legal step necessary to prove she was married to Mayo May 14, 1890, at Binghamton, N. Y.

According to a record made public here, purporting to contain the details of the Binghamton wedding, he being 31 years old at the time.

Mayo, through his council yesterday denied he was ever married to her. The revelations in the case have prostrated Mrs. Mayo , and she is under the care of a physician.

New York, March 12—Frank Cook father of Lillian May Cook, the stenographer of Virginius J. Mayo who killed herself at New Haven yesterday declared he would confer with Assistant Federal District Attorney Reid, of Brooklyn, to see if the government has authority under the Mann white slave act to investigate events leading up to his daughter's death.

GERMANY THREATENS

British Action On Submarine Crews Raises Storm

London, March 12—The decision of the British Government to segregate the captured crews of German subamrines and perhaps institute criminal proceedings against them for attacks on unarmed merchantmen has evoked heated comment from Berlin news papers.

Reuter's Amsterdam correspondent quotes the Vossische Zeitung as saying that the British are acting in blind rage.

It asserts that if the British Admiralty carries its plans into effect it cannot fail to result in reprisals.

The Lokal Anzeiger says that corresponding counter-measures will be taken by Germany.

GERMAN FLAG CAUSES SCARE.

Sailors on English Vessels in Hampton Roads Stampede When Prinz Eitel Appears.

Newport News, Va., March 12.—As the Prinz Eitel Friedrich rounded the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway coal piers with her German ensign flying in the breeze, the crews of several British steamers loading horses for the French armies lined the rails of their vessels to view the rusty stranger. When they espied the German flag they were so startled by its sudden appearance in their midst that there was a wild stampede from the decks.

They were soon reassured, however, when they remembered that all were in a neutral port and returned gazing at the converted merchantman with complacency, as she continued on to her anchorage off the docks of the ship yard.

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ALEXANDRIA'S EXTENDED AREA

The opinion of Judge Cardwell of the Supreme Court of Appeals yesterday reversing the decree of Judge E. T. Gordon, of Nelson county, who presided in the Circuit Court for Alexandria county in the summer of 1912, and decided against the city in the suit which had been brought against Alexandria and Fairfax counties for the annexation of certain outlying territory, has been the principal theme of conversation hereabouts since yesterday afternoon, when it was learned from a bulletin in front of the Gazette office that the city had won on an appeal. By this decision Alexandria will soon assume jurisdiction over about two square miles of adjacent territory. Alexandria city will then be bounded on the south by Hunting creek, on the west by Roberts crossing, embracing West End, on the north by Lloyd's lane, and on the east by the Potomac river. The union passenger depot and a large slice of the Potomac railroad yards will be incorporated into the city's limits.

The nucleus of the present city of Alexandria was Point West, a few yards north of the city gas works. In the seventeenth century a patent for six thousand acres of land had been granted to Robert Howsing by the Virginia Land Office for and in consideration of the transportation of one hundred and twenty persons into the Colony of Virginia. The first settlement on this patent was made in 1695 by Thomas Pearson on what is known as "Pearson's Island." At this early day tobacco grown in certain parts of Virginia was brought to this locality where it was placed on English ships near what is known now as Fishtown. The cove which runs north from that point to the outlet lock of the old Alexandria Canal was navigable at that time for vessels which crossed the ocean, and that cove extended some distance west and as far as the extreme northern ends of Royal and Pitt streets covering what is now known as "Petersburg." The water in this arm of the Potomac was deep, and some boats were enabled to come to points between what are now Queen and Cameron streets. This locality had been gradually filling up since the latter part of the fifties when the Alexandria, Loudoun and Hampshire Railroad Company, now the Washington and Old Dominion, erected the embankment from the depot almost to the canal outlet, which cut off the water from the river.

In those days the water laved Lee street, at the east of the Braddock House, and most of the terra firma of Lee and Union streets of our days was navigable in olden times.

A planter named Belhaven erected a warehouse on Point West where tobacco was shipped. The tobacco, which was in hogsheads, was rolled to the point. The hogsheads were constructed as spools and iron bars were run through them. No doubt hundreds of hogsheads were rolled through what is now Commerce street, which runs northeast and southwest, pointing directly to the original site of the city, the objective point of planters in colonial days.

The site of the present city of Alexandria was formed in 1748 by a grant from the House of Burgesses. The northern limit was Fishtown, the southern a line running through Duke and Wolfe streets, the west Royal and Pitt, and the east the Potomac river. The names of the streets in that area show the loyalty of our forefathers, who were tories at that time—King, Queen, Prince, Princess, Duke and Royal.

After the revolutionary war, when the area of the city was extended, other names were used, Washington, Columbus, Henry, Fayette, Franklin, Jefferson, Madison, etc.

Since the close of the civil war the city has spread to the west, north and northwest, and several small towns have grown up almost upon the environs of Alexandria. The residents of these places use the city's streets, lights, schools, etc, with the same freedom as actual residents. Numbers who live in these suburban places are employed in this city. The city police and fire departent are often utilized in emergencies by these neighbors, and there seems to be no good reason why all should not be under one jurisdiction.

SINKING OF THE BARK FRYE.

U. S. Officials Believe Germany Admit Mistake Was Made

Washington, March 12—Officials are unanimous in their opinion — and it is shared largely by diplomats too— that the commander of the Prinz Eitel had no right to send the bark Frye to the bottom. It was considered probable by officials that the German government after being apprised of the facts would admit the error of the naval commander and agree to the usual reparation. Some officials thought sufficeint amends, after hte payment of damages, would be the courtmartialing of the German officer.

Long Beach, Cal., March 12—Samuel S. W. Sewall, of Bath, Me., one of the owners of the William P. Frye, the American vessel sunk by the German auxiliary cruiser Prinz Eitel Friedrich, said yesterday that he had appealed to the United States government to proceed against the German warship as a set rover and her crew as pirates. He has asked also, that vigorous representations be made to Germany.

"The Frye," he said "carried a cargo that was marked "noncontraband' by the United States government marine insurance bureau. There was nothing but wheat aboard the ship."

Mr. Sewall said the vesel was worth $175,000 and the cargo of wheat, shipped at Seattle last November, was valued at $300,000.

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AUCTION SALE of plant, machinery and other property of the Emerson Steam Pump Company.

PURSUANT to the terms of a decree rendered by the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, on November 30, 1914, in the consolidated chancery causes of Jacob N. Belt, Administrator w. w. a of Randolph J. Eckloff, deceased, vs. The Emerson Steam Pump Company, et als., and Orren G. Staples, who sues etc., vs. The Emerson Steam Pump Company, et als., the undersigned, who by the terms of said decree were appointed Special Commissioners for the purpose, will offer for sale at public auction, at the plant of the Emerson Steam Pump Company, in the County of Fairfax, Virginia, near the corporate limits of the City of Alexandria, Virginia, at 12 o'clock noon, on Monday, March 15, 1915, the plant and all the property of the Emerson Steam Pump Company, briefly described as follows:—

FIRST—All that tract or parcel of land, with the splendid factory and all other buildings and improvements thereon, in the village of West End, in the County of Fairfax, Virginia, the same being bounded according to a survey and plat made by Joseph Berry, as follows to wit:—

BEGINNING at "A" a stake on the north side of the Little River Turnpike or Duke Street extended, a corner to Watkins; thence with the north side of the Turnpike north 76 degrees 35' west 184.9 feet to a stake corner to Major; thence with the line of Major north 13 degrees 57' east 228.2 feet to a stake; thence north 76 degrees 33' west 110.5 feet to a stake in the line of Ponnet; thence with the line of Ponnet north 13 degrees 57' east 204.5 feet to a stake on the south side of the Diagonal Road running from King Street to the Little River Turnpike; thence with the south side of said Road north 74 degrees 8' east 359.8 feet to a stake the corner of Dunn; thence with the line of Dunn south 13 degrees 8' west 380.6 feet to a stake, a corner to Dunn in the line of Watkins; thence with the line of Watkins north 76 degrees 33' west 22.3 feet to a stake; and thence south 13 degrees 57' west 228.1 feet to the beginning with all rights and appurtenances containing 3.088 acres subject to a right of way on the northeast side of the said tract leading from the house now or formerly occupied by Reinecker into the said Diagonal Road, the said right of way being for the joint use of the owners of the above described tract of land and the lot of ground adjoining on the northeast side and now or formerly owned by John Dunn.

The factory building on this property is 215 feet long and about 63 feet wide and contains besides the pump factory a fully equipped pattern shop. The building is of steel, brick and cement construction, cement flooring six inches deep covered by double oak flooring. Carey roof. It is only about 200 yards by road from the freight station of the Washington-Southern Railway Company. The plant is now in operation.

SECOND—The following United States patents on steam vacuum pumps owned by said company, to wit:—

Patent No. 425024 granted to Owen R. Davis, April 8, 1890.

Patent No. 628432 granted to W. R. Emerson, July 4, 1899.

Patent No. 693126 granted to Felix Freyhold, February 11, 1902.

Patent No. 773133 granted to Robert Bruce Emerson, October 25, 1904.

And the following patents on strainers and foot valves for suction pipes of pumps owned by said Company, to wit:

Patent No. 704012 granted to W. R. Emerson, July 8, 1902.

Patent No 795594 granted to William R Emerson, July 5, 1905.

And the following patent on steam engines owned by said Company, to wit:—

Patent No. 828100 granted to William R. Emerson, August 7, 1905, and any person, firm, or corporation for its use or benefit, for the inventions including also all foreign patents issued to the said Company, or to covered by the patents aforesaid, or any of them, and including, also, all the improvements to be made in said inventions, or any of them, and all patents either domestic or foreign issued to the said company, or to any person, firm or corporation for its benefit.

THIRD:—The following machinery and attachments located in said plant:—

1—20" Prentice Vertical Drilling machine.
1—24" Prentice Vertical Drilling Machine.
1—24" Johnson and Prentice Drilling Machine.
1— 6' 6" Arm Radial Drill.
1—18" Stroke Shaper.
1—Prentice Lathe—6' bed—12' Swing.
1—3—Jaw Chuck and wrenches for above.
2—Face Plates for above.
1—Prentice Lathe—8' bed —14" Swing —2 Face Plates Steady rest and wrenches.
1—Prentice Lathe—6' bed —14" Swing—2 Face Plates Steady rest and wrenches.
1—3 jaw and 1—4 jaw Chuck for above Lathes.
2—Lodge and Shipley Lathes—6' bed 19' Swing 2—3 jaw Chucks —1—4 jaw Chuck —2 Face Plates 2 steady rests, 1 Turret Attachment and wrenches for above Lathes.
1—No. 3 Cincinnati Universal Milling Machine with Attachments.
1—Tool Grinder with Attachments.
1—30" Bullard Vertical Boring Mill
1—4' x 12' Planer. Open side and side arm.
1—74" Gisholt Vertical Boring Mill
1—Set Bending Rolls.
1—5" x 5" Air Compressor.
1—60" Guide Bar Grinder.
1—Twist Drill Grinder.
1—Wet Tool Grinder.
1—Power Hack Saw.
1—Arbor Press.
1—Grind Stone.
1—25 H. P. G. E. Motor.
1—15 H. P. G. E. Motor.
1—No. 6 Fox Trimmer.
1—24" x 10' Wood Working Lathe.
1—16" Jointer.
1—Rip Saw and Table.
1—Band Saw.
1—Planer.
1—8" Olive Lathe.
1—Emery Grinder.
2—4' Pattern Makers Clamps.
2—6' Pattern Makers Clamps.

Also a lot of small tools the office furniture and wooden patterns belonging to the Company.

FOURTH:—A lot of standard and junior pumps and parts finished, rough.

A lot of foot valves, strainers, and parts, finished.

A lot of foot valves and strainer parts, rough.

A lot of junior pump parts, finished.

A lot of junior pump parts rough.

A lot of pipe and pipe fittings.

A lot of screws and bolts.

A lot of Centrifugal pumps, parts and fittings, finished.

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The above property will be offered for sale piece by piece, as shown in the foregoing description, and the property described under the first three headings will then be offered for sale as a whole, and the property described under the fourth heading will then be offered for sale as a whole, and will be knocked down to the highest bidders.

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Special Commissioners of Sale.

I, Nevell S. Greenaway, Clerk of the Corporation Court of the City of Alexandria, Virginia do hereby certify that Gardner L. Boothe, one of the aforementioned Special Commissioners of Sale, has entered into bond with approved security, in accordance with the requirements of the aforesaid decree of sale.

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The board also decided to change the name of the new home of the department of education, recently erected at a cost of $52,000, from the Education Building to Peabody Hall. The Peabody fund contributed $40,000 toward the erection of the building.

President Alderman informed the board that the total registration to date is 941. The gain in Virginia students has increased 139 in the last two years. There are 25 students from Maryland.

President Alderman announced that the statue of Thomas Jefferson will be unveiled on Founder's Day, April 13. This statue is the gift of Chas. R. Crane, of Chicago. The principal address on Founder's Day will be by President Fairfax Harrison of the Southern Railway.

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Norfolk, Va., March 12.—The forty-first convention of the grand lodge of District No. 5, Independent Order B'nari, B'rith, which comprises Virginia, Maryland, District of Columbia, North Carolina, South Carolina and Georgia will hold its sessions in Norfolk on Sunday. Monday and Tuesday of next week, and many prominent Hebrews are expected to be in attendance.

The opening exercises of the convention will be held in Ohef Sholem temple Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. The Rev. L. D. Mendoza, D. D., will preside at the opening session, which will include a special musical program, conducted by Professor Walter Edward Howe, and address by Rev. E. A. Landau and an essay by Harry O. Sanberg. The business sessions of the convention will be held in the Monticello hotel and the social features include a boat ride around Hampton Roads and a ball at the Ghent Club.

DISSOLVES INJUNCTION

Judge Scott Lifts Restraining Order Against State Carriers

Richmond ,March 12—At the request of Governor Stuart, Attorney-General John Garland Pollard yesterday asked the city Circuit Court to dissolve the injunction granted by the court on March 2 against a number of transportation companies in the State, growing out of the failure on the part of these companies to observe the restrictions placed on the movement of feed and cattle for the protection of the Commonwealth against the spread of the foot and mouth disease.

Judge Scott complying with the request, entered an order dissolving the injunction, and the situation with reference to the carrying business is the same as it was before the restraining order was entered. The roads are, as before, subject to the restrictions laid down in the Governor's proclamation relative to the importation into this State of cattle and foodstuffs from areas in which the foot and mouth infection is known to exist.

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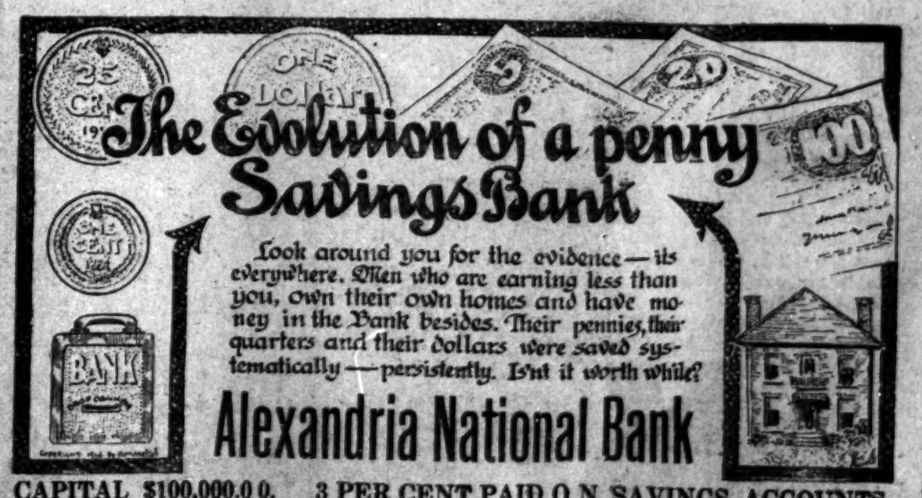
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